

EXAM in GRE1002 Introduction to Greek II SPRING 2018

The exam paper consists of 3 pages.

Friday, June 8th (4 hours)

No reference works allowed

All questions must be answered

Part One

The slave Xanthias starts to tell about the difficult situation, and he addresses the audience.

ΞΑ. ἔστιν γὰρ ἡμῖν δεσπότης ἐκεινοσί, ὁ ἄνω ἥσυχος καθεύδων. ἢρ' οὐχ ὄρατε αὐτὸν καθεύδοντα;

(points towards the roof)

ἔστι μὲν οὖν ἡμῖν δεσπότης οὗτος. τῷ δὲ δεσπότῃ πατήρ ἔστι πάνυ γέρων. ὁ δὲ δεσπότης ἡμᾶς ἐκέλευε φυλάττειν τὸν πατέρα, κελεύοντι δὲ ἐπιθόμεθα. ἐν γὰρ ἀπορίᾳ ἐνέπεσεν ὁ δεσπότης περὶ τοῦ πατρός, ἐπειδὴ ἔγνω αὐτὸν πονηρότερον ὅντα τῶν ἄλλων ἐν τῇ πόλει, καὶ αἴτιον κακῶν πολλῶν. ἔστι γὰρ τῷ πατρὶ τῷ τοῦ δεσπότου νόσος τις. ἐρωτᾶ οὖν ὑμᾶς, ὃ θεαταί, τί τυγχάνει ὃν τὸ ὄνομα ταύτη τῇ νόσῳ; ὑμεῖς δ' ἀποκρίνεσθε ἡμῖν ἐρωτῶσιν.

Vocabulary:

ἐμπίπτω: fall into

πονηρός: (morally) bad

1. Translate the ancient Greek text into English.

2. Please answer the following grammatical questions:

- a. καθεύδων: Analyse morphologically and give the dictionary form.
- b. ἐπιθόμεθα: Analyse morphologically and give the dictionary form.
- c. ὑμᾶς: Give the case and explain why this case is used.
- d. ἡμῖν: Give the case and explain why this case is used.



3. Translate these sentences into ancient Greek:

- a. The master answers the slaves.
- b. This slave hears that the master is absent.

Vocabulary:

slave: δοῦλος, ὁ
be absent: ἄπειμι

Part TWO

The jurors Euergides, Strymodoros and Komias converse after having heard all of Apollodoros' speech for the prosecution.

EY. εῖν. τοσαύτη ἡ γε κατηγορία ἦν διελήλυθεν Άπολλόδωρος. τὴν δὲ ἀπολογίαν τὴν τοῦ Στεφάνου νῦν δεῖ ἡμᾶς ἀκούειν, ἀκούσαντας δὲ τὴν ψῆφον θέσθαι.

ΣΤΡ. ἀλλὰ τί ἐρῶ, ὅταν οἱ παῖδες οἱ ἔμοὶ καὶ ἡ γυνὴ ἔρωνται πότερον κατεδίκασα ἢ ἀπεψηφισάμην;

EY. ἐὰν μὲν καταδικασθῇ Νέαιρα, ὡς Στρυμόδωρε, ἐρεῖς ὅτι κατεδίκασας, ἐὰν δὲ ἀπολυθῇ, ὅτι ἀπεψηφίσω.

ΣΤΡ. πῶς γὰρ οὗ; ἀλλὰ καίπερ προθυμούμενος οὐχ οἶός τ' εἰμὶ μνημονεύειν τὴν κατηγορίαν· περιέλκει γάρ με κύκλῳ ὁ κατήγορος, ὥσπερ σοφιστής τις, καὶ εἰς πολλὴν ἀπορίαν με καθίστησιν.

ΚΩ. καὶ περιέλξει σε κύκλῳ ὁ ἀπολογούμενος, ὡς ἔοικεν, ὡς Στρυμόδωρε.

ΣΤΡ. πῶς οὖν μοι ἔξεσται διακρίνειν τὴν δίκην;

Vocabulary: οἶός τ' εἰμί: be able to

περιέλκω: drag around

διακρίνω: judge, decide (with regard to two alternatives)

1. Translate the ancient Greek text into English.

2. Please answer the following grammatical questions:

- a. ἦν διελήλυθεν Άπολλόδωρος: What kind of subordinate clause is this?
- b. κατεδίκασα: Analyse morphologically and conjugate this form of the verb in the first, second and third person, singular and plural.
- c. καταδικασθῇ: Analyse morphologically. Why is this mood of the verb used?

3. Translate these sentences into ancient Greek:

- a. Strymodoros wishes to acquit Neaira
- b. When you hear this, you will remember the speech.
- c. Strymodoros thinks that Apollodoros told the truth.

Vocabulary:

wish: βούλομαι

speech: λόγος, ὁ

think: οἴομαι

the truth: τὰληθῆ